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# "Califlora" GLADIOLUS

**November to March Delivery. Southern California and Oregon Grown.**

We can supply fine quality, high crown, Southern California grown bulbs for November delivery, and equally high quality Oregon grown bulbs for delivery from December on. **250 of a variety** of the No. 1 size must be ordered to get the thousand rate. We do not sell less than 250 of a variety of the No. 2 size. Prices F.O.B., Los Angeles, California. NOTE: The varieties marked "\*" in front of name available for November.

## RED SHADES

Diameter—	No. 1		No. 2	
	1 1/2" Up	1000	1 1/4" 1 1/2"	1000
*Beacon. Clear bright Scarlet with Cream blotch in throat. Tall.....	100	\$4.75	\$45.00	\$35.00
Black Opal. Newest Dark Red. Very fine.....	100	5.75	55.00	45.00
Dr. Bennett. Vivid Flame Scarlet.....	100	4.75	45.00	35.00

## ORANGE and SALMON SHADES

Bit O'Heaven. Rich brilliant Orange with Yellow throat.....	4.50	42.50	32.50
*Lavinia. Large ruffled Salmon-pink. Copper sheen.....	4.25	40.00	30.00
Margaret Fulton. Deep Salmon-pink. Early.....	4.50	42.50	32.50
Mother Machree. Smoky Salmon blended with Lavender and Gold.....	4.75	45.00	35.00
*Paradise. Very large gorgeous Apricot-salmon.....	4.25	40.00	30.00

## LAVENDER, BLUE and PURPLE SHADES

Blue Beauty. New Blue. Extra fine. Giant blooms.....	4.75	45.00	35.00
Charles Dickens. Fine Wine Red. Very early.....	4.25	40.00	30.00
*King Lear. Royal Purple. Large ruffled.....	4.25	40.00	30.00
*Lavender Queen. Huge clear Lavender-orchid.....	4.75	45.00	35.00
Pelegrina. Deep Blue-violet. Very popular.....	4.50	42.50	32.50

## PINK and ROSE SHADES

Chamouny. New clear Rose-pink with Silver edge. Tall.....	6.25	60.00	50.00
*Ethel Cave Cole. New giant exquisite Soft Pink. Extra fine.....	5.75	55.00	45.00
Greta Garbo. New Rosy buff tinted delicate Pink. Exhibition flowers.....	5.75	55.00	45.00
*Peggy Lou. Shrimp-pink. Rosy sheel. Tall.....	4.25	40.00	30.00
*Picardy. Fine Apricot-peach-pink. Large.....	4.50	42.50	32.50
*Rosa Von Lima. Huge clear Pink. Very tall.....	4.25	40.00	30.00

## YELLOW SHADES

*Gold Eagle. Deep Golden-yellow. Very early.....	4.25	40.00	30.00
*Ruffled Beauty. Large clear Yellow. Ruffled.....	4.25	40.00	30.00
Yellow Emperor. Beautiful clear Yellow. Choice.....	4.50	42.50	32.50

## WHITE SHADES

Corona. New Blush White with Rose Picotee edge.....	6.25	60.00	50.00
Green Light. New Ruffled Greenish White. Exquisite.....	5.75	55.00	45.00
*Maid of Orleans. Pure White. Light Cream throat.....	4.25	40.00	30.00
*Margaret Beaton. Huge glistening White with brilliant Scarlet throat. Fine.....	4.75	45.00	35.00
Snow Princess. New fine Pure White. Early.....	4.75	45.00	35.00

## "Califlora" MIXTURE

*Carefully blended mixture of all colors.....	4.25	40.00	35.00
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## DAHLIA TUBERS

February Delivery

Reliable correctly named Tubers. Excellent quality. Carefully divided so that each Tuber has a live bud or eye.

Price: \$25.00 per 100, F.O.B. Portland, Ore. No less than 25 of a variety sold.

We will also have an assortment of varieties for those who can use only 10 of a variety. Price: \$30.00 per 100. F.O.B. Los Angeles.

### LARGE FLOWERING DECORATIVE TYPES

RED	WHITE
Elinor Francis. Large bright red. Tall bush.	Jean Kerr. Pure White formal decorative. Fine cut flower.
Le Torreador. Soft raspberry-red.	
Mrs. Geo. le Boutillier. Cardinal red. Very large.	
PINK	YELLOW
Clara Carder. Large Cyclamen Pink.	Avalon. Finest clear Yellow.
Elinor Vanderveer. Standard Pink.	
Grace Erlock. Clear Pink.	
Rose Glory. True Rose-pink. Fine cut flower.	
LAVENDER	PURPLE
Mrs. Carl Salbach. Light Lavender. Fine cut flower.	Sir Lancelot. Purple shaded Garnet. Tall bush.
Mrs. I. de ver Warner. Standard Pink to Lavender.	
WHITE	BRONZE
Snow. Pure White semi-cactus.	Jane Cowl. Fine large Golden Buff.
	Watchung Giant. Large Gold.
	Robert Borden. Light Bronze. Similar to Jane Cowl.
RED	
His Eminence. Dark Red.	

### CACTUS TYPES

Snow. Pure White semi-cactus.	His Eminence. Dark Red.
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# DAHLIA TUBERS Continued

## BALL TYPES

### WHITE

**White Swan.** White with faint Pink tinge.  
**Storm King.** Fine pure White.

### LAVENDER

**Bonnie Blue.** Soft Lavender.

### PINK

**A. D. Livoni.** Clear Rose-pink.

### RED

**Gertrude.** Bright Maroon.  
**Little Beeswing.** Bright Red with Yellow base.  
**Mike.** Fine bright Orange-red.  
**Vivid.** Cardinal Red.

### BRONZE

**Amber Queen.** Bronze. Fine cut flower.  
**Pixie.** Rich Bronze.

### PINK

**Betty Ann.** Light Pink.  
**Bonny.** Light Pink.  
**Pink Glow.** Rose-pink.  
**Rosa Wilmoth.** Light Pink. Fine cut flower.

### LAVENDER

**Mary Munns.** Fine cut flower.

### YELLOW

**Queen of Yellows.** Lemon-yellow.

### RED

**Porthos.** Bright Red.  
**Rufus.** Dark Red to Maroon.

### BRONZE

**Tippy.** Clear Bronze-yellow. Fine cut flower.

## POMPONS

### PURPLE

**Libby Rohr.** Wine-purple.  
**Sherry.** Fine rich dark Purple.

### WHITE

**Joe Fette.** Standard White Pompon.  
**Snowclad.** Small quilled. Heavy bloomer.

### YELLOW

**Takas Yellow.** Slightly larger and darker than Yellow Gem.  
**Yellow Gem.** Standard Yellow Pompon. Fine cut flower.

### BI-COLORS

**Morning Mist.** Lavender and White. Heavy bloomer.  
**Challenge.** Red and White. Fine cut flowers.  
**Little Hermann.** Red and White. Similar to Challenge.

## MINIATURE TYPES

### RED

**Bishop of Llandaff.** Bright red miniature peony type, with dark Red center. Very fine.

### WHITE

**White Fawn.** Pure White. Fine cut flower.  
**Princess Alba.** Small White. Heavy bloomer.

### YELLOW

**Corinna.** Clear Yellow.

### PINK

**Fairy.** Rose-pink. Fine cut flower.

## ALSTROMERIA

**Aurantiaca (Peruvian Lily).** December to April Delivery. Large Root Divisions. Large Orange flowers, lower petals penciled brown.....\$7.50 per 100; \$70.00 per 1000  
**Chilensis Hybrids (Chilian Lily).** November Delivery. Large Divisions. A mixture of Beautiful colors from shades of Cream, through Pinks, Salmons, Orange and even Red.....\$11.50 per 100; \$110.00 per 1000

### "Califlora" AMARYLLIS

**Giant Califlora Hybrids.** November Delivery. Blooms during April and May. Gorgeous giant flowers. Brilliant colors.....3½"-up, \$60.00 per 100; 3-3½", \$45.00 per 100; 2¾-3", \$35.00 per 100; 2½-2¾", \$27.50 per 100

### "Califlora" BEGONIAS—TUBEROUS ROOTED

Delivery January to April, inclusive

Our Superior strain of Tuberos Rooted Begonias is, without question, the finest to be had. It is the result of many years of experimentation and selection. Strong growing tubers producing huge, magnificent flowers of perfect form carried erect on strong stems.

#### TYPES AND COLORS

**Giant Camellia Double.** White, Yellow, Rose, Pink, Orange, Scarlet, Dark Red, Apricot, Flame Orange, Blush, Crimson Rose, American Beauty, Cardinal Red, Dark Salmon, Light Salmon and Mixed Colors.  
**Giant Frilled.** White, Yellow, Rose, Pink, Salmon, Orange, Scarlet, Dark Red, Apricot, Fascination (light pink to white with frilled border shading from rose to light red), and Mixed Colors.  
**Giant Fimbriata (Carnation Flowered).** White, Yellow, Rose, Pink, Salmon, Orange, Scarlet, Dark Red, Blush, Crimson Rose, Red Salmon, Apricot, Dark Salmon and Mixed Colors.  
**Lloydii (Hanging Basket Type).** White, Pink, Rose, Salmon, Yellow, Orange, Scarlet and Mixed Colors.  
**Double Picotee.** (This variety has darker edge of same color.) Salmon, Pink, Rose, Apricot, Red and Mixed Colors.

Prices—All varieties and colors.		100	1000	Prices—All varieties and colors.		100	1000
1-1¼"	Diameter.....	\$ 7.50	\$ 70.00	2"	Diameter.....	\$19.50	\$190.00
1¼-1½"	Diameter.....	10.00	95.00	2½"	Diameter.....	27.00	260.00
1½-2"	Diameter.....	15.00	145.00				

## GLOXINIAS January to April Delivery

Following straight colors, or mixed:  
**Blanche de Meru.** Rose, White throat.  
**Emperor Frederick.** Scarlet, White border.  
**Emperor William.** Violet, White border.  
**Etoile de Feu.** Scarlet, plane.  
**Mount Blanc.** Pure White.

Size	100	1000
1-1¼" Diameter.....	\$14.00	\$135.00
1¼-1½" Diameter.....	18.00	175.00

**Prince Albert.** Dark Violet with frilled edge.  
**Princess Elizabeth.** Blue with White throat.  
**Roi Des Rouges.** Dark Crimson with frilled edge.  
**Tigrina (Spotted and Netted).** Shades from light Rose to dark lavender.  
**Violacea.** Soft Violet, plane.

Size	100	1000
1½-2" Diameter.....	\$24.00	\$235.00
2" up Diameter.....	30.00	295.00

# "Califlora" CALADIUM—Fancy Leaf

January to April Delivery

After long experience in growing these in the greenhouse we have selected ten of the most attractive varieties, of contrasting colors and characteristics. In addition to these we can supply any other popular variety. If planted in January will produce salable plants for Easter.

- Candidum.** Snow-white with green veins and network. Narrow green border. Fine Easter variety.  
**Hortilania.** Center of leaf shining crimson with slight bluish tint. Narrow green border. Strong grower.  
**Itacapus.** Entire leaf dark red red of a rust shade; narrow border with red dottings. One of the most beautiful.  
**John Peed.** Bold plant with many leaves. Center transparent cherry red, light green margin.  
**Lord Derby.** Delicate transparent rose with dark green ribs and narrow green edge. Abundant foliage.  
**Macahyba.** Dark moss green profusely spotted and mottled with transparent lilac blotches. Heavy scarlet ribs.  
**Mrs. Edith E. Mead.** Leaf snow-white (not transparent), with red ribs (no veins), and green edge. Very showy.  
**Mrs. W. B. Haldeman.** Glowing bright pink with narrow green edge. Varies to a deep pink according to soil used.  
**Poecile Anglais.** Dwarf, many leaved type with wavy leaves of deep crimson having a bluish overcast and bordered metallic green. One of the best.

	<b>Mammoth, 3½-5" Diameter Straight Varieties or Mixed</b>			
	100	1000		
F.O.B. Los Angeles.....	\$38.50	\$375.00	F.O.B. Florida .....	34.00    335.00
	<b>Jumbo, 2½-3½" Diameter Straight Varieties or Mixed</b>			
F.O.B. Los Angeles .....	\$26.00	\$250.00	F.O.B. Florida .....	23.00    215.00
	<b>No. 1, 1½-2½" Diameter Straight Varieties or Mixed</b>			
F.O.B. Los Angeles .....	\$17.00	\$160.00	F.O.B. Florida .....	15.00    140.00

Orders for less than 25 of a variety take the hundred rate plus 10%.

**FANCY LEAF CALADIUMS.** For Summer Shady Gardens the colorful foliage of Fancy Leaf Caladiums is without rival. For best growth they need only warm weather, light shade, and plenty of water. Plant during May and June.

## DAISIES

January to March Delivery

Bloom profusely all Spring, Summer, and until late Fall if flowers are kept cut. Fine florists cut flower and to plant in pots or gallon cans for nursery use.

- Esther Read.** Fine large pure white, completely double.  
**Grand Marconi.** Pure white double Chrysanthemum-like flowers on 2½-foot stems.

	100	1000
Large rooted divisions. Both varieties.....	\$8.00	\$75.00

## MONTBRETIAS

New Hybrid Mixture. February Delivery.....	\$4.25	\$40.00
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## PANSY SEED

**Roggli's Genuine Original Pansy Seed.** Genuine Original Strain imported from Switzerland. Do not confuse with so-called "Roggli" strains offered. Demand the genuine, which bears the copyrighted "ROGGLI" Trade-Mark. We are exclusive distributor for the United States and Canada. Order direct or through any reliable seed merchant. ROGGLI'S is a superb strain of Pansies, producing huge flowers of the popular Swiss type. Bright colors, long erect stems. Once this strain is tried it is always used.

- Elite Mixed.** Fine mixture of bright attractive colors.  
**Alpengluhn.** Beautiful Mahogany-Red with darker eye.  
**Berna.** Dark Violet without eye. Velvet-like texture.  
**Blumlisalp.** Beautiful Pink-Carmine. New color for pansies.  
**Eiger.** Gorgeous dark Yellow with dark Brown eye.  
**Monch.** Improved clear Yellow. Replaces Goldgelbe.  
**Hohenfeuer.** Beautiful bright Yellowish-Red.  
**Jungfrau.** Wonderful large pure White pansy.  
**Thunersee.** Gentian Blue with dark eye. Finest Blue.

<b>Prices—All Colors and Mixed</b>			
Trial Packet .....	\$1.75	½-oz. Packet .....	\$ 9.00
⅛-oz. Packet .....	3.00	1-oz. Packet .....	16.00
¼-oz. Packet .....	5.00	4 to 7 ounces, per oz.....	15.00
8 oz. or more.....	\$14.00 per oz.		

## SPREKELIA FORMISSIMA

Sometimes called Jacobean Lily. Beautiful Maroon-Red orchid-shaped flower. Dark Green sword-shaped leaves. Blooms early Summer. Top size.

Large Bulbs .....	\$25.00 per 100
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## TIGRIDIA CALIFLORA HYBRIDS

February to April Delivery

Well blended mixture of Orange, Scarlet, dark Rose, and Yellow.

	100	1000		100	1000
¾"-up diameter .....	\$3.50	\$30.00	1"-up diameter .....	\$5.00	\$45.00

We expect to have a limited quantity of TIGRIDIA CALIFLORA HYBRIDS in separate colors as follows: Bright Red, Wine Red, Rose, Deep Rose and Yellow.

	100	1000		100	1000
¾"-up diameter .....	\$4.00	\$35.00	1"-up diameter .....	\$5.50	\$50.00

## TUBEROSES

December to March Delivery

	100	1000
Mexican Single. Sweet scented.....	\$4.25	\$40.00

Wherever possible please order in our standard packing quantities of 250, 500 or 1000.  
 All bulbs 250 at the 1000 rate.